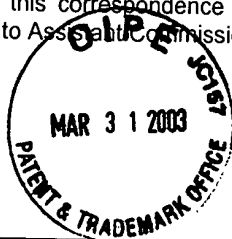


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number
FR 000130 (7790/194)

In re Application of: **YANNICK VINCENT**

Application Number: **10/015,965**

Filed: **NOVEMBER 30, 2001**

For: **DATA-PROCESSING SYSTEM**

Group Art Unit: **2876**

Examiner: **NGUYEN, K.**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to Office Action dated October 24, 2002 in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ 110.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$ 410.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ 930.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ 1,450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ 1,970.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27; therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$ _____ | |

A small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.
- ☐ has already been filed in this application.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1713. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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